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REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

THE EX-KAISER.

Humidity

French Widow's Murder Charge.

Paris, December 1. The French widow of a husband killed on board the Sussex. torpedoed by a German autmarine, has addressed to the French Minister of Justice a formal charge of murder against William of Hohenwollern.—Havas

THE ANGLO-FRENCH ALLIANCE.

Bonds which Cannot be Broken.

Parie, December 1. President Poincare's stirring declaration at the great banquet at the Elysee that "we are united for ever" marks the consummation of the Alliance between Britain and France, whose future policy will be to uphold the cause of peace and freedom in Europe. The King and the popular Princes won the heart of Paris by their frank good humour.

The final leave-taking was of a most cordial character. After his departure, the King sent a message to President Poincare stating denying the truth of pyschical tenacity, and endurance were military coremony, conducted just the junk and then called upon out from the telephone office. indissoluble, enabling them to enjoy securely the benefits of peace. President Poincare answered stating that it was the maintenance of the cordial Allience which had enabled them to defeat German Imperialism.—Havas.

SUGGESTED PARIS EXHIBITION.

Parie. December 1 The suggested Universal Exhibition in Paris in 1925 is meeting with formal opposition in official circles. - Hapas.

OCCUPATION OF RHINE CROSSINGS.

Return of German Offensive Impossible.

Peris, December 1. The French will cocupy Mayence. The chief crossings of the Bhine being in British, French and American possession, any return of the offensive by the Germans is practically impossible.-Hasas.

THE ARMISTICE OBLIGATIONS.

Germans Hand Over Railway Trucks.

Parie December 1 The first consignment of 150,009 railway trucks, in accordance A few month ago Mr. Grant Western winter. It will always the right cheek and the purple salt in future and fined accused armed. The constable on No. 1 with the Armistice, arrived at the frontier on Friday. The great Richards wrote in his usual style bessource of pride and happiness firmes that flush along the collar. \$50; in default, two months' best bulk of the German rolling stock being in bad condition, instruction in have been issued that railway materials must be closely examined before being accepted. - Havis.

HOLLAND'S NEED.

Ships Wanted to Carry Food.

Longon, November 26. Reuter's ocrrespondent at New York states that M. Cremer, the new Netherlands Minister, bas declared that ships are badly needed to carry food to Holland, which is feeding a million reingees out of her scanty store.

A number of Dutch efficers and wireless operators have arrived at the end of it the following fresher, cleaner flow of ideas into toast: "To my brave efficers and Cheung Sam-woo) and Miss bests. E:ch man's rifle is kept in to man the Datch ships requisitioned by the United States several months ago. The date of the return of the ships to their owners is not fixed.

. A NEW DUTCH LOAN,

London, Nevember 26. Reuter's correspondent at the Hague says the Second all, is organised classification of think in a different way from a their glorious traditions, that Miss and then happy and compliment. Indian sergeant in the armoury Chamber has passed a Bill authorising the isaue of a five per cent. facts, cannot prove or disprove, man whose horizon has always Coney and Miss McIntosh were ary speeches were made by Pro issues the ammunition. The

CANADA'S CASUALTIES.

London, November 26. It is officially superced that the Canadian casualties total 213.268, of which 58,047 are dead.

EARLIER TELEGRAM.

A BRITISH MILLIONAIRE.

London, Dacember 2. The late Mr. Doncan Mackinnon, formerly Chairman of the THE CARE OF THE BABY sweep on over the 11m of the sisters of our regiment," said the literary circles for original same route. The shots were British-India Navigation Company, left \$1,791,000 sterling.

CANTON NEWS.

writes as follows:-

A political meeting was held in the Military, Government officer on Saturday to deal with two im Fong states that gunboat Kwong remedy, are a real friend. They hates will seem.

portant questions:—1. To sek the Yuan has been recaptured in Hoi-gently regulate the bowels and The true meaning of human gave the accolade, pressing West Point, at which about 150 Captain Myhee arrived between approval of Parliament to send how with all ammunition com- stomach, break up colds and intercourse and friendship will the planes to his lips to signify greats assembled, including 12 o'clock and 1 am, without was special envoys to the Pescs Con plete, while the gurb at Po Man simple levers, expel worms, core come home to him. He will gain that this symbol to a Bersaglieri several Chinese young ladies, under his orders. The next manne ference in Europe; 2, to reply to hes field to Kwong Chow Wan vomiting and indigestion, and an almost divine outlook upon the was to be his family, wife or The bride and bridegroom were at 11 30 am, witness went up to a communication from the North sent through the British Minister in regard to an armistice. Specie payment on the bank and regular development, are great towns and fine-drawn planes and regular development, are great to the bank of the bank and regular development, are spider threads which are the great threads which are threads which a

negotials pesce there.

(Reuter's Service to The "Telegraph.")

THE SILVER MARKET.

TELEGRAMS.

London, Nov. 26.

The silver market is steady.

CORRESPONDENCE.

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but those who have studied the the fighting front and help to distinction conferred upon them. These signals were answered by where he thought he would enbject from reliable sources fail stem the great German thrust, as a reward for services rendered defendant's junk. He followed be. He could to find any convincing argument Their fine fighting qualities, the Berssglieri. An elaborate up the launch until it got near After telephoning witness came phenomens. I quite agree that well manifested during the first behind the fighting lines to the former to stop, but it Soon after he heard a second shot there are, undoubtedly, numbers battle of Ypres before they accompaniment of the booming proceeded at full speed. Com- fired. He could not say the of persons who for the sake of a had been able completely of big guns, marked the induction plainant put his searchlight on direction it came from. Wi and living, palm off their tricks and to reorganise after their voyage of the American girls into the the vessel and saw that it was a returned to the office and afterfakes on the public; nevertheless from India. The manner in eplendid Italian military organ. big armed launch. He again wards went towards the bridge. there are still honest students which they acquitted themselves isation. societies all over the world are gallantry. their progressive researches.

enge to secure an answer troops." to Mr Clodd's new book "The question: "If a man dies shall he live again?" and I was very eager to read it. While I was at Merers. Kelly and Walsh's a few days ago, a friend of mine student from the time, of the think nationally but flying will of enemy lines.

> Yours etc. A STUDENT.

Hongkong, Dec. 3, 1918.

GALLANT INDIAN TROOPS.

DECEMBER

Lord French on Their Work in tho West.

Princess Sophia Dulsep Singh, who organised the "India Day" cele bration in Lon on Ca Septema ber 20, has received a letter from

8878arrived in October, 1914, the Miss Sylvia Coney of New York on Police launch No. 2 at the him where defendant had been, situation was of so drastic a and Miss Sarah Fleming MoIntoeh entrance to Dasp Bay. He saw as be did not see him at the Sir,-Mr. Crock's lecture was nature that it was necessary to of Boston, both American Red some red signals being made by main gate. He replied he did very interesting and humorous top, call upon them at once to reinforce Oross workers, had this unique a launch carrying no lights. not know. Witness asked him have sacrificed their showed the excellence of their

your readers for a solution:— upheld the glorious fighting civilian work; but later was junk had 700 picule of salt on intervals of ten minutes. After If the soul can manifest traditions of the Indian Army, transferred to the war some. itself in a human body, then This record is all the more They are the old romance of Defendant stated that a shop- the Indians witness returned to why cannot it do likewise out of honourable when it is remembered war, these brave Bersaglieri. keeper engaged her jank to carry the main gate. The Indian it?" This is, undoubtedly, a big that they were suddenly dis. Thousands of Americans who the salt, which was loaded at Cap constable at No. 5 beat was not question but none the less it patched from a hot climate at have visited Italy will remember Sui Mun. brings to anybody's mind a vital almost the worst season of the their picturesque headgear, the His Worship said defendant and 8, on the sea front, were year to isos the rigours of a bineblack plumes that fall over must be more careful in handling armed. No. 1, 3 and 5 were not the Times Literary Sur- to me that I have been associated Even on the steel helmets of the hard labour. plement something like a chall- in the field with these gallen

A NEW SCIENCE.

Aviation Potentialities.

the record it was decided to sek sideration, and often enough she He can cover with his thumb alliance and the bestowal of the bowing to each other, their fired any shot that night. Our Centon correspondent British Minister, to send a represent such as the send as the sen sentative to Shanghai to know which way to turn to find What will be think of those who pinned the plumes on the breasts hai, who conducted the ceremony, by prisoner? for it relief. live next to each other and will of the two American women, and gave them instructive addresses Witness:—Yas that is my case.

first, a proposed was made that amount for exchange is limited by the North and helf by the North and helf by the South, such to \$10 for each persuant one observation observation of the proposed was made that amount for exchange is limited by the North and helf by the South, such to carry the flower of the proposed was made that amount for exchange is limited by the North and helf by the South, such to carry the flower of the proposed was made that amount for exchange is limited by the North and helf by the South, such to carry the flower of the proposed was made that amount for exchange is limited by the North and helf by the South, such to their places and every other species was made that the places of the place of the p

GIRL BERSEGLIERI.

Honour for American Nurses

Lord French in which he pays American women; one from New of the conditions of her licence by Yard Police, who is alleged to tribute to the services rendered York and one from Boston, have using her fishing boat other than have murdered Sergeant Linfield, by India's fighting men on the became honourary members of for fishing purposes, in the waters of the same force. Mr. T. H. Western front during the years the Bernsglieri the crack fighting of the Colony. 1914 and 1915. Lord French organisation of Italy, is told in Defendant pleaded guilty,

wealth and some their Incretive previous training for war. In all domestic resence school of Colum- the vessel and found that it was Inspector Churcher and a positions to strive at conclusions substraint battles during these bia University and was manager a police launch from Macso party arrived from Hongkong; which are convincing and truth years they took a prominent part of the Mary Elizabeth candy armed with a machine gun and also Inspector Gordon of the ful. The Psychical Research and behaved with the utmost kitchensand tearcoms here before also carrying seven armed men. Water Police and party. Witness she took up Red Oross work and The launch was named the then went to issue arms to the doing their best to expose char. As Commarder in Chief It went to Italy. In that country Penglehai, Complainant escorted second patrol. It might have been latans and fakers, apart from was on many occasions deeply she has taken an active part in the vessel out of British waters midnight then. On his way wite indebted to them for valuable canteen work and fool distri- and then returned and took the ness picked up a Policeman's cane. Now let me put up the follow- help, and I have no hesitation in bution. Miss McIntoph also went junk to Tai O and arrested the It bore the number 123. He heard ing question and I will thank saying that they splendidly to Italy to engage in Bed Cross mistress. He found that the several more shots fired, at

modern warriors the men attach

these historic plumes. The colonel of the Barsaglieri is the regiment's father. With a shout that reminds one of the treat, the wedding to k place of The rifle, produced in Court, was rebel yell or the peculiar cry of of Miss Chan Kong-rio, daughter assigned to I.P.C. 98, who was Flying, in the opinion of British men drink his health stand Wong Yick cho, son of the late been assigned to the defendant. drew my attention to the book avistors, is going to change the ing, and the colonel, though Mr. Wong Ting-tean, a prominent Defendant went on guard with anand I glanced through and found character of the world's thought. he bear five wounded stripes official in Canton. The brides other man'eriffe. Ariffe is served it to be somewhat interesting, but It will have a broadening in on his arms, leaps upon maids were Miss Rose to each constable and ammuniwas greatly diesappointed to find flaence, and it will bring in a the table and gives back the Chenng (daughter of Mr. tion is assigned only to 2, 4 and 6 genience, part of which I the brains of men.

men and to our next victory." Sophia Lam. The bridegroom the armoury under lock and key quote: "To Job's question. A man, the flyers argue, who Then follows a very solemn toast was supported by Professor and every constable going on if a man dies shall be live again, has seen before him at the same to the memory of Lamorra, who, Wright, of the University, and duty obtains it from the armoury science can answer neither zes or time the cliffs of England, the in the days when Italy was there was a very large attendance which contains both the ammuni-The rest of the contence is long, flat, fields of Holland and winning its independence, of friends of the bride and bride tion and the riffer. The conthe author's deductions on the the emiling countryside of organised the Bara-glieri corps. groom. Congratulatory addresses stable who is on No. I and 3

thousands of years ago, down to largely. He will see England had a great feast day. Before it esteem in which the bridegroom takes it from the sergeant prethis very day, are proving the and Fience lying close began the officers were assemb is held at the University, where viously on duty. to each other, separated only led and in their presence the he has occupied such prominent. The Nos. 1 and 3 beats extend. by a chining strip of water. general solemnly pinned upon positions in the student life as round the boat slip, as far as the He will see the green and the uniforms of Mies Coney and Secretary of the University Union, bridge and the patrol goes. brown mosaic of Bilgium which Miss McIntosh the gold medal Secretary of the Arts Association between the torpedo workshop in its turn merges into the distant with its ribbon of purple that and Chairman of the Chinese and up till the influencele

effiners as they took their places poems. She is also an artist. less frequent after midnight. How will be regard petty spite in an open air barquet hall, The wedding was carried out When the last shot was fired ue between individuals and cliques where the rest of the ceremony in the new style, the bride and could not say. As far as he know is every good mother's first con. then? the birdman saks. was to be held, the pledging of bridegroom exchanging rings and no member of the Police or guards.

Watching Gunboats.

To every mother Baby's Own not speak? How mean and petty the major general, who had full of good advice.

An efficial report from Hoi Tablets, the Canadian children's their quarrels and come from the top of the In the evening a dinner was after 12 o'clock the shot sees ed.

MARINE COURT.

A Suspicious Junk.

the Marine Court, this morning, before Commander Beckwith, R.N., Marine Magis trate, Lance Sergeant J. Perkins charged Chan Choi, mistress of fishing boat No. 2124, with indictment against Jadulla Khan, The story of how two young unlawfully committing a breach an Indian constable in the Naval

correspondence received by the Los. Sergt. Parkins stated that amination, said when he saw the "When the Indian troops first American Red Cross from Rome, on December 1 he was on duty Indian sergeant he questioned called upon the launch to stop. Another shot was Miss Coney is a graduate of the which it did. He then boarded and then another. After this

board. 🦠

LOCAL WEDDING.

😘 Chau-Woug.

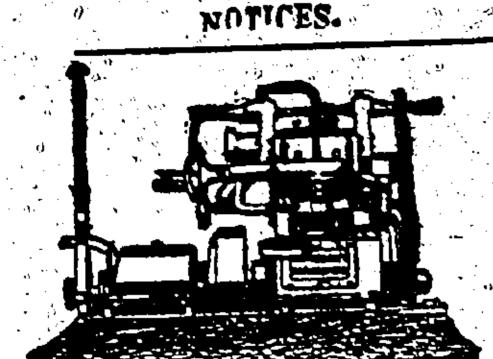
the fighting Lousians Tigers, the of Mr. Chan Shui-lum, and Mr. then on duty. Another rifls had point. Since Science, which, after Belgium and France, is bound to It was to these troops, with were read by Mr. Chan Kwan-po, beats gets no ammunition. An there is no justification of any been bounded by bricks and admitted with military caremony fessor Middleton Smith, Mesers bandolier filled with fifty rounds cort of condemnation of the morter, or even by hill and dale. as attractive as any Dumas ever Teang King-han, Dr. Ong Huck of ammunition is an emergency occult science of which the Travelling may have made him described and under the shadow chys, Chean Zim Cheang and supply kept in the desk of the Akkadiens and Summians, make him think far more At their camp the Bersaglieri speakers mentioned the very high European sergeant on duty, who

> shadow of Hollard, while still signifies membership in the Literary Society. It was also ment store (No. 6), then torns tioned that the bride has carmed to the left, where he turns he will see the distant lowlands "You are now the American a high reputation in Chinese to the left, and returns by the

THE NAVAL YARD MURDER.

Indian Constable on Trial.

Mr. J. R. Wood this afternoon continued the hearing of the King (A. S. P.) prosecuted Sargeant George, in fariher exissuing arms and ammunition to armed but the one on Nos. 2, 4 brings his rift, withammunition to the office when coming on duty. Noe. 1 and 3 beats are run by one man. Defendent on the night in Yesterday at the Huppy Rs- question was on the 1 and 3 beats.



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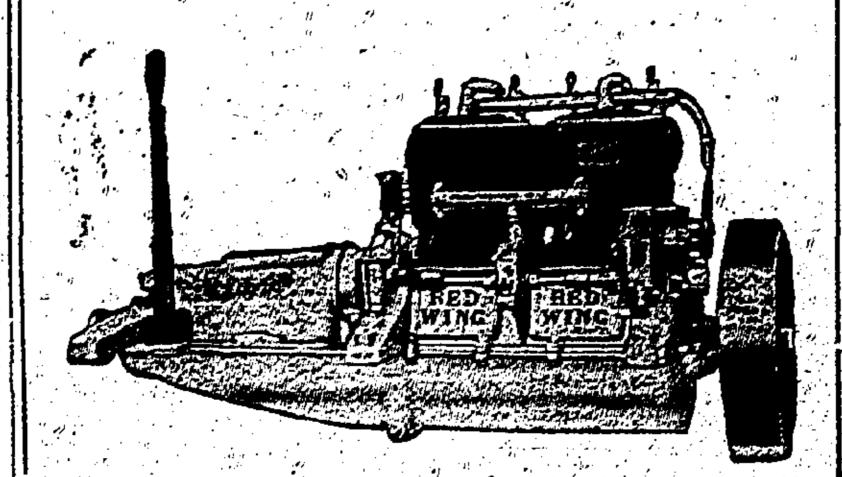
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GENERAL NEWS.

Good News for Ante-

Vivise tionists.

According to a White Paper

A "Raffles in Real Life."

At London Sessions recently Anthony Caster, 22, a deserter, who was described as a very clever and dangerous thief and a sort of R files in real life, was sentenced to three years' penal servitude. He pleaded "Guilty" to stealing three £1 notes and a nilver badge belonging to a lieutenant at an hotel in Cravenstreet, and to other theits of money and jewellery, the property of guests at another hotel. Five previous convictions were proved. On being liberated from prison in July, Caster was banded over to an escort, but at Euston Station he escaped and went to an hotel at Bishopsgate. During the night he ransacked the rooms and approprieted \$40 in cash and a £100 War Bond. Since then he. had been thieving every night.

Honour for Brave Salvationist

Miss Mary Murray, daughter of he late Lieutenant General Sir John Murray, K.C.B., has received the 1914 Star. In the first days of the war Miss Murray, who is a colonel in the Salvation Army, went as a representative of that organication with the British Expeditionary Force. For months the travelled by night and day on the lines of communication. - rendering what estrice she could to the British troops. When the armies of von Klack marched into Brussels Kiss Marray, with two other English Salvationists. Major John Aspinall and Nurse May Whittaker, were seized and for 12 days held prisoner, until by a daring ruse they escaped. In the South African War Miss Murray served under the Salvation Army. and was awarded the Queen's Medal She is secretary of the Naval and Military Lague directed by General Booth.

Germans Steal Wooden Arm. The Garmans are not cruel only to their enemies. It is recorded that a wounded man was making his way home and sat down under a tree to rest. His wooden arm was uncomfortable so he took it. off, sid it down beside him and dropped off to sleep. When he woke up it was gone. One wonders what possible use another man's wooden arm could be to snybody. Yet the Frankfurt Volkstimme records it calmly and says the man's name was Standartinger. It seems most unlikely that the publishing of the fact will fill the thief with

"Rejah of Germany."

An officer st the front has received this letter from his old Indian servant:-"Honored Enormity, -I have received your Honor's letter saying how many Germans you have killed, and that chickens in Engiand cost nine rupees. May God Almighty bless you both. Here everybody prays that Padshah Salaamat (the King) may conquer the Bajuh of Germany and put him into prison; also with his wives and children. All people in the village was assembled to hear the reading of your Honour's letter and gave great praise to the coldiers, When I heard your Honor was bounded (wounded) in (the body I remained Hangary, five days to send for me, so that no more berm come to your Honor. Give a and your numerous proliments by Constant

FUTURE OF TSINGTAU.

Should Japan Restore It?

Recently a telegram was addressed to the Government by the returned students from Japan in which it is stated that when Japan declared war against Germany the Japanese Government agreed to return Teingtan to China when the European War comes to an end. Now that the War has terminated the Govern ment should ask Japan to restore. Taingtan unconditionally in order to fulfil ber former promise. In this convection it is interesting to note that a number of M. P's have submitted a Bill proposing that China's delegates to the Peace Conference should press for the nullification of the Kisochow Convention of 1897. As if the declaration of war between Olina and Germany has not abrogated all Sino German treaties eto !- Peking Leader.

Baron Hayashi on the Question. Baron Hayehi, the retiring Japanese Minister, is said to have expressed his opinions as follows on the disposal of Teingtan after the European War:

"It is extremely difficult for one to express adequate views regarding the disposal of Teingtan. With a view of securing peace and order and in accordance with Atticle 5 of the peace terms suggested by President Wilson, dealing with disposal of colonies. Teingtan should be disposed of according to the will of the residents there. Since Germany has declared that she will never return it to its original owner, it is clear how the territory will be disposed of. But Tsingtan is Chinese territory though it has some connection with Germany. Therefore, all matters relating to Teingtan should be decided by China and Japan jointly, sincerely and frankly. It cannot be settled at the Peace Conference simply because it has been German's lessed territory; and let other countries also have a voice in its settlement." etc.

Training the Blind to Read. The "optophone," as its Greek name denoter, is an instrument which converts optical effects into | phonic or sound off ots. It was invented in 1914, the first year of the war, by Dr. E E Fournier d'Albe, special lecturer in physics at the University of the Panjab, Labore, as the outcome of a series of researches on the half-metal selenium carried out mainly at the University of Birmingham.

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CHAU-WONG.-On Monday, December, 2nd, Miss Chau, Kong Sui, daughter of Mr. Chau Shui Lum, and Mr. Wong Yick Cho, son of the late Mr. Wong Ting Chan,

The Hongkong Telegraph.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1918.

GLORIOUS FRANCE.

With a warmth of feeling and joyous demonstration that is essentially Perisian, the French nation the other day welcomed our King and Princes to their beautiful capital. It is an event which lickaha stands in use, the public respect to 50 lbs. of chocolates, arose from the submarine war, of Men's Clock Golf —Messra. will stand among the greatest in the world's history, for it is not will stand among the greatest in the world's history, for it is not are located and there is thus no goods have been found at the Bulgaris, Turkey. Austria and Franklin and W. R. Neighbour ed failure until the management ship and lasting Alliance of the two great nations who have borne necessity whatever for the latter the brunt of four years of terrible war, four years in which they to shout for fares. The practice cc-partner of the Victoria Oafe have fought and died side by side for the same great cause. There only needlessly adds to street and a baker of the same store has probably been no greater Alliance than this, for not only has noises, and it ought to be most passed through the portals of the can find another designation for it endured the test of bardship and fierce struggle, but it must of rigorously suppressed. necessity remain the greatest factor in the future of the world. The Spirit of Indepedence. No king could give more promise than this firm friendship of the two nations, for there is another great task in front of us, the reconstruction of Empires and nationalities on new principles and under changed conditions. It is a fine thing to be able to call France a in which Chinese menials, public friend: If we glance back over the last four years, the history of France's stupendous afforts become an epic. Nothing could be altogether out of hand. Those of more glorious than the part she has taken in the war.

All her energies, all her great resources, all her people, men for any considerable length of women and child, have toiled and fought unceasingly, uncomplain. time cannot help noticing the at the Victoria Cafe. The chocolates ingly, unselfishly. We never really understood the greatness and baneful results arising from the patriotism of the French people till the war, but we realise it now. | comparatively new epirit of inand can appreciate the bleesing of having a noble friend. And this dependence displayed by these friendship and mutual esteem has stood the greatest test, for classes of the native population, was not fair to mention any not stir himself. England and her it has Issted and grown throughout the trials of misery Whether it be the ffine employee, specific date on which the goods devastation, and death. Like ourselves, the French, even in the the household servant, hotel boys were stolen they had been received alligher doings and leavings; who bitterest mements when the German hordes were murdering or even chair and ricksha coolies, during the last two months. their brothers and sisters, and laying waste their prosperous plains, most of them nowadays act, when never thought of giving up the fight. Disaster only welded the performing their duties. nation closer together, and stealed it to greater efforts. remember how the French armies, unprepared for war, kept back favour on those who have a claim the countless legions of Germany from their capital, and how again on their services. In the domestic and again at Verdun they returned to the fight, despite the un sphere and in hotels this is ceasing enemy masses thrown against them. We think of the once especially noticeable, and de-pite; beautiful towns laid in mine by shellfire of the Germans, towns in the higher wages which are paid, which the cathedrals and churches formed the special targets, and one has almost to beseech servants

in which only a few remaining inhabitants lived out their precations which, in former days, were existence in cellars and dug-outs.

Even in Paris, the people were hourly in danger of death from long-range gens, Z ppelins, and airships, but one and all, they carried on. That, we consider, is the surest test of greatness—decidedly mays cheeky and const.

The following is the approximate statement of the Hong-in its overpowsing Truth lears hourly in danger of death from the greatness—are class has become decidedly mays cheeky and const.

Receipts for the week ending 30th November, 1918:—

Receipts Aggregate are considered to the faculty of tarks, we consider the faculty of the surest test of greatness—decidedly mays cheeky and const. the faculty of "carrying on" in the face of death and utter misery. and that is what France has done. Victory is the only reward for a nation like this, and now that it has come, with what thankfulness and pride must the French rest on their laurals, and with what confidence must they look forward to the future! With our King, we congratulate Marshal Foch and his glorious armies on the victory devised of curbing present Decrease: they have won. "The British armies are groud to have participated with the Angle-French people during the life and death conflict. ideals. They have created a union of hearts and an identity of servants, grant them a two hour . An International Women's not wonder at the French who magnetrate, feels that the com on the O seen's pirthday in interests which would ever glow closer and contribute materially working day, provide them with Association of Commerce has been oriminally, attack the dead lamination of the atmosphere due 1873; 2 15 a.m. return home to the consolidation of peace and the advancement of civilisation." light literature, treble their wages organised to advance the inter-There can be no question that the Anglo-French Alliance which has survived fitteen years of German intrigue including four goings and comings to suit the industrial work throughout the years of war must continue, for now it is more then a political convenience of these already world and to unite all women

Cause for Complaint

Many of our resders will sympathise with the Rev. Kirk Maconsohie and the members of his congregation in their distress over the difficulties under which the services last Sunday morning and evening were conducted owing to the noise made by chair niversary of the first fall coolies and moter cars on Belgrade. Kennedy Bosd, immediately outside Union Church. Indeed this portion of the road has sesumed owing to the steps leading to the 3. 15/16d. temporary station of the Peak Tramway being situated next to Union Church compound. The chief trouble is caused by tioned vesterday, the winner was the re-starting of the cars and the Ticket No. 180. racing engines in picking up speed, turning etc.,; also the sounding of horns to clear the three blasts of the horn are blown. fall being 583 inches. We would suggest that motor cars, which are the worst offenders, should not be allowed to go enabled to conduct their services in peace and quietude.

An Annoying Practice.

The rapacions and ubiquitous chair and ricksha coolis is not for kidnapping a male child. only a source of worry to many four years old, from his home in of us in the Colony, but he is the the country. The man was most uncouth brute one can meet, arrested at Hongkong on the 12th Beaders will recall how rudely ultimo, and it was alleged that he they are accosted in the streets tried to sell the child at Yaumati. by these men, the cry of "Hey, used to get patronage, being familiar to all of us. This of jectionable form addressing should be put a stop to, and we says Church Notes (St. John's rickebs coolie be given understand that there is such be able to get back till the end of To our mind the Police should cantion these coolies against their present mode of soliciting fares and threaten them with the forfeiture of their licences if they persist in ignoring the warning. We believe that some time ago a test case was taken on this point and that it was ruled by passers by for custom was an

another reflection of the manner and otherwise, are getting us who have resided in the Colony We though they were conferring a decidedly more cheeky and qually incompetent. These are some of the congrauences of the This Year: ... \$13,130 tendencies, the time will come when European householders will Allience of two countries; it is a bond of perfect friendship, a overpeid and underworked hire- into an association for mutual union of bearts and identity of interest.

DAY BY DAY.

TO BE WEAK IS MISERABLE DOING OR SUFFERING.

To-morrow's Anniversary. Tc-morrow is the fourth an-

The Dollar, The opening rate of the dollar the character of a "Osb rank" on demand to-day was 3s

> Raffle Result. . In the match-box raffle men-

November Rainfall. According to returns from the road of chair coolies who do Botanio Gardens, rain fell on 13 not attempt to move until two or days during November, the total

Colony's Health, During last week the only cases beyond the corner of Kennedy of communicable disease were two Roed and Gerden Rosd on Sun- of diphtheria (one Jaranese and days during the hours of Church one Chinese) and one case of service and that a European spotted fever (British). One of constable be stationed outside the the diphtheria osses was fatal. the Church during the same During yesterday one non-fatal

Kidnapping a Child.

trial at the next Criminal Sessions

Confirmation. The confirmation which was to have been held on the 21st will foreigner probably have to be postponed. suggest that every chair and Cathedral mage zine). The Bishop to of the Diocese will probably not thing as "seemly " behav'our. January. Bishop Norris was asked to come down but he is too basy to be able to spare the time, but it is just possible that a Bishop may be passing through the Colony this month, in which case hemsy hold the confirmation.

Thefts from Stores. Police Courts and appeared before Mr. J. R. Wood to answer to the charge of receiving stolen goods. The fact is that this babit on The stolen goods, it appears, were the part of street coolies is only received by the baker, and there were handed to the co-partner. Sergeant Aris said the chocolates weremarked and a search warrant was taken out yesterday and executed in 42 Des Voeux Road, man's Cafe Suring the last two months. Mr. M. K. Lo said it seked for a remand, which was fixed at \$100 eveb.

TRAMWAY PETURNS.

The following is the approxi-

and generally to order their own ests of women in professional and memorial Tables of the murdered the health of his district and that a.m., two hours work in my

A GERMAN LETTER.

Comment on a Hougkong.

Below we give a free translation of a letter received from German in China by the Rev. J Kirk Maconsohie, pastor Union Church, commenting on a recent sermon by the reverend gentleman, a report which the writer probably read in the columns of the Telegraph:

Very esteemed Sir: It will perhaps please you to learn of the effect (am Ego?) on a German mind of your sermon of the 17th November. Germans do not take it ill of our enemies that they rejuice prime won by Mrs. Rattay comprehension of the justified Mrs. J. D. Polly and Mr. Marke. feelings and desires of its opponent. By the Clergy far more than by newspaper writings and politicians such barren slips ought to be avoided (verminden?). In reading your sermon this question has continually stirred me what really our Lord and Saviour, Who, unseen, tarried among your mankind, and knows very well Prizes can be obtained Sinners. I do not know now Powell, Ltd. Whether at the Oor quest of Rightcourners over Unrighteoneness, Truth over Falsehood, Freedom over Slavery, our Lord has also thought over His- own exmasters of this world. Of the memory of the Boers, the Concentration Camps, where play -H. B. L. Dawbiggin 1st thousands of innocent Boer with 26; M.A. Murray 2nd with children perished, of the Jaws 27 who in the name of Righteousness Mixed Foursomes. - Mr. & Mrs were shot, of those banged in Maitland, 29. Egypt, of the tyrannised Germana of Greece and the slaughtering with 27.

at the first lending by force, of the robbery of the ships of the Lammert, J. MacDuald. protested Small States, of the case Evens and J. R. Chassels tie of "Barslong and King Stephen," with 3 down. Thefts from stores are of fre- the hanging of Sir Roger Osse- Men's Competition (Medal the Magietrate that to peater quentoecurrence and the difficulty ment, the iron first over Ireland, play.)—H. B. L. Dawbiggin 1st Drury Lane, whose long history is to trees the thief or the stolen the case of Feliz r (?) Pledge, of with 24; D. MacLaren 2nd with offence against the regulations, goods. Our local dealers have the Civil War which the acceptance 25 But that decision has not been recently been subjected to of the thirty pieces of silver Ladies' Clock Golf,-Mrs. followed up by any systematic systematic piliering by members bought over Chins, the robbery Neighbour 1st with 21; Lady of prosecutions. of their staffs. Messrs. Wiseman's by the French of Lau Si Khoi, of Bass Davies. Mrs. McKenny and With the system of chair and have just been victimised with Englands starvation policy which Mrs. Neighbour tie for 2nd place. knows fall well where the coolies worth about \$40. The stolen the robbery and plundering of J. Hyde, T. M. Leitch, A. C. fourth' theatre, rebuilt after Victoria Cafe and this morning a Germany which in the name of the with 20 each. Bichteoueness is now going on, or does any reputable man think he number of entries. Mrs. Ritonie. 28, 1814, an obscure country. the disraputable (without hononr) deslings of the high Maitland. cfficials, who remembers the ex- As the Course will not be availpressions which these gentlemen able after Tuesday the 3 d inst., diegnised contempt, made his have coined when their opponents it is desirable that ties should be made humane, arrangements with played off by then. other Powers. Thereon that the land about which they hold their speeches they have taken from the Chinese the half of and first violently separated from the had been taken from Wise- Mother country, because they themselves (?) opium to take. thereon dare even the Saviour collesgues is and remains right in dare to have another opinion, is shouted down with "Prussian ganted till Thursday, bail being by Reuter and the Great Powers all over the world. That is just thank you for the fortunate comnow very simpless now only one plaint of these text words. They side is able to speak. That at present in my dear Fatherland the unutterable infile Breisl (things?) of the humble graleful their holidays in Gladstonian Democrata are creeping up to rule service of God. is the honoring merit of the picus Receipts Aggregate Prominent representatives who

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3rd -Mr A. K. Mackenzie. the hearts of the Publicans and application to Messre. Wm. the means...

St. Andrew's Golf Course. The results of the various com petitions are as under :-Ladies Championship (Meds periences with these men and play)-Mrs. Maitland & Miss Wilkinson tied with 27 strokes. Men's Championship (Medal

Ladies' Competition (Mede in free America, of the murder of play)-Mrs. Hedley lat with 26; Sarajevo, of the administration Mrs. Ritchie & Miss Denison tie Bagey Pool.-Messra. H.

Special ladies' priss for largest Special gentlemen's, prise for

remain true. I can therefore from my heart of Drury Lane."

> Beet greetings, Yours obedient,

for week. Receipts for prominent representatives who Chang He chien, Magistrate of moderate estimate of my work 18 weeks. seem to have absolute dominion. Chang He chien, Magistrate of there on public trainers. In \$13,130 662,947 Therefore we do not wonder that Hei Kang District has reported there on public trainers. In "emancipation" of the native, and Last Year: ... 12,562 647,669 English and American sailors that the Benevolent Society which 1871 he wrote rejainingly unless tome organised method is Increase: ... 563 15,339 in the German Conculste on as organised is still busy of having spatched two whole pictures and busts to pieces and victims of Lung's invasion of since the Government was formed. that Germans are driven out in Kochow and Luichew. The re- and to Archdenson Harrison be be expected to clothe their Women Organise for Mutual Aid, the very name of Freedom; we do pret also states that he, the gave the details of my holiday in Peking and destroy the to the decay will be injurious to from House of Commons; 10 Freiher (?) von Keteller and, be so far more than 3,000 corpees study; 2-7; Cabinet, threecause the heethenish government have been picked up and buried quarter hour a walk; 812, thirtydares to excite itself thereover to but many more still remain to two to dinner and an evening further induce them to approve he hands.

Purple 12 to bed.

TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

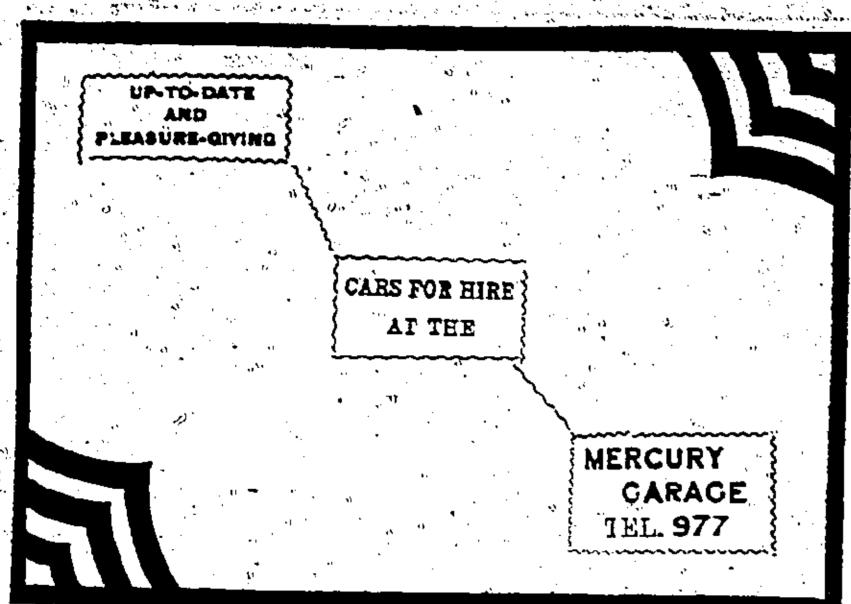
The origin of the expression "Lynch law," that travesty of justice which President Wilson The following results of reffice has just condemned by proclamand competitions in connection ation, is comewhat obscure. with St. Andrew's Fair are ad- Attempts have been made to trace ditional to those already publishe it to Lynch, mayor of Galway. who in 1493 tried, condemned. and executed his own son it's murder, but as lynching originated in America towards the close santed by Mrs. Holt won by Ticket of the eighteenth century we shall probably be on safer ground if One tes cloth presented by Mrs. we socept the explanation to be found in Colonel William Martin's "Narrative of Frontier Life." One pair hand embroidered tan which was prepared in 1842. We clothe and one iced cake lat priss Colonel Martin writes as won by Mrs. MecCorquodele, 2nd fellows .- "In those times [the last quarter of the eighteenth exceedingly over the victorious The proprietors of the Zoo sek century] there were a great result of the War, and express us to mention that two more many bad men settled along their joy in festal gatherings and names have been discovered in the frontiers, who by their theits outspoken expressions. What we the Weight of Sheep guessing annoyed the country greatly, expect from a knightly enemy is competition to draw with six insomuch that the people entered nothing less than a friendly others for 2nd and 3rd prizes, viz. into combinations to suppress them, and formed companies called Regulators. They formed in military style, with officers, &c. They also organised a court and The result of the Grouping appointed some three or four of their aged, discreet men judges to try criminal cases, award punishments, &c. The company would bring up suspected fellows. A card by the Hon. Mr C. and the court would try them. audience listening to those high Severn, C.M.G., was the next But they seldom extended punish-Mr. J. R. Wood this morning words, may have fel? He is the best, and ran the 3rd prize ment beyond whipping and committed a Chinese to stand his Saviour of all. His Heavenly winner's very closely. The lottery driving them from the country, Father is also a God of all prize went to Ticket No. 818. sometimes making them pay for property stolen when they had.

> "This method of breaking up combinations of rogues." continues the Colonel, " was first set on foot by Colonel Charles Lynch. of Bedford County, Virginia. The messure seemed to be called for from the situation of the country at the time, and it has been practised more or less in the settling of new countries from that time until within a few years past, since the laws operate with more efficiency. The authorities generally connived at it from the necessity of the case, Lynch at first punished with thirty-nine stripes, taking, as I emprose. Moses for his model. And this was for a great while called Lynch's law, meaning all unlawful whipping."

has been celebrated in pageant in honour of Mr. Arthur Collins's twenty-one years' management, would probably have closed its doors a century ago. For two years after the opening of the was on the verge of despair and tragedian, a very model of a strol largest number of entries.—F. ling player, shabby and almos shoeless, whom the mediocrities treated at rehearsal with unappearance to a half-filled house as Shylock, and caused such enthusiaem that next day all London was ringing with the fame ofof crime. Just an is the Will of Edmund Kean. Drury Lane the victorious Righteousness over receipts rose instantly from \$100 Unrighteousness. And neverthe- to £600 a night, and after the less, it will for ever third appearance Kean's salary "The Lord is was raised from £8 to £20 a week. King. let the Earth rejoice." One week the delighted manage-"The Lord is King, let the people | ment presented bim with \$100. tremble". What a refreshing the next with \$500, and during strong consolation speaks of these the next six years Kean was "the words to all who are the Lord's. Atlas that supported the burden

From the reports of their will unfold (or develop) for all doings, some members of the time the only valuable and lasting Government seem to be spending fashion. What the G.O.M.'s idea of 8 "boliday" was may be gathered from his correspondence. "I hope you do not think my

holiday at Hawarden proyee my idleness," he wrote to a correspondent in 1869, "for I think ten Unburied Dead at Kochow. hours a day has been s



NAVAL CONCERT.

Wooing" which followed was

sung with much expression by

Mr. Brock, the song giving an

appropriate touch of colour to the

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and faultless trebingue by the

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and Professor Gonzales ('celle)

They were well applauded and

Mrs. Kernett, who played on the

violin the solo "Chenson Louis

XIII and Pavine" (Comperru-

Kreisler), proved herself a master

of her matrament in every respect

and her vigour was carried from

other and into the bewildering

exceedingly graceful and aplendid

rendering of this piece and her

was fined \$2,500 for being in object of the concert. In the

THE OLD TALE.

Innocent-Looking Coolies.

The old cock-and-bull story of | Splendid Programme Last Night an opium smuggler, who personates a coolie carrying infocent looking backets and boxes containing the Chinese elixir of It has often been said by those life—that it was given bim by a who prefess to know all about it -man; name and habitat unknown that people who attend concerts -bas been so frequently dis--in Hongkong, at any ratecredited by our megistrtates"that like to hear the music with which we would think it not difficult they are familier, and on this for these men to manufacture some principle it is argued that to offer excuse that could hold water. them novelties is tantamount to Unfortunately, or fortunately, the telling then to stay away. How "denser" class of emugglers have much truth underlies this contennot got wind of this fast, and tion it would really be difficult snother progeny of the race was to say. All that is certain is that to day mulcted by Mr. E.D. O. there are many concert-givers in Wolfe in an aggregate fine of \$2, our midet who frame their 600 for indulging in this illegal programmes on the assumption traffic. Our coolie friend was strollthat the public only want ing down the Pray's on Sunday to listen to that which they have with a most unsuspecting look of known, knowner are sure to itnocence, carrying a ba ket and appreciate. And surely it was a box on his head. A constable on on this secumption that the duty by virtue of instinct, chalorganisers of the grand neval lenged him to stop. The coolie responded immediately, and B. N. Canteen last night under straightway, throwing down his the patronage of H. E. the Officer. load, handed the constable the Administering the Government key to "look see" the contents. (the Hon. Mr Claud Severu, The box was opened, but there C.M.G:), drew up the scheme of was no opium. "Sarely," said the programme. There were the constable in his heart, "my present as well Commodors Gurninstinct has betrayed me." Then er. Mred Garner, the seting the thought fisshed across his mind that the box might possess Major Cassel, Captain Edwards, a false bottom, and, horror of the Hon. Mr. D. Landele, the Hon. beat Ahearn, Fly-Weight, in two horrors, it "had one. This was Mr. P. H. Holyozk and others. removed and four packets of morphia (1% rs.) and 30 taels of Mrs. Jennings and the absence of Victoria Hall, Singapore, 1918; opium were found concesled. The Mr. Hannibal, the first part and several other competitions. morphia was wrapped in paper of the programme was curtailed Sicker Neighbours, Amey's and the opium was all in small by two items. The programme tubes. The defendant's ples was was opened by a selection that he was given the box and the ("Cheep") played by the orchestra full particulars with him, but it basket by a man to be carried to of H. M. S -and "The Skipper's

in all. support to the programme. The Sandjig, toe cance, the Irish jig and the hornpipe were the prettiest items on the programme and were done to good time by these girls. It is a pity that the beautiful bouquets which were to be presented to them were kept till the end, with the result that the orchestra forgot to wait and etraightway struck up National Anthem.

the Kayo Maru. Asked how he

came to be in possession of the

key. he said that it was given by

illicit possession of the opium

and \$100 for unlawful possession

of the morphis, or, in the alterna-

ture, seven months' hard labour

the man who engaged him.

Mr. R. Satherland is versatile entertainer and h personations and imitations were really inimitable. His imitation of nervous little Johnnie and the recitation of a man who had loss one end of the instrument to the an arm in a machinery shop were very clever indeed. He gave a sphere of harmonies. She gave an very dramatic monologue on a Ecotch entertainment and sent the house into rollicking laughter. He imitation of the corjure was playing secured her to the life. "

Mr. Lewis is a fine baritone scloist and rang "Kashmir" and her treatment was intellectual Ladies Competition Medal mid-day on the day to which (from Indian Love Lyrice) and refreshment of a grateful order. "Fairinge" (from Song of the Perhaps one of the best items Fair) with much guste. He did on the programme was the Spanish Evans, 1; Mr. H. A Lammert, 2, not. fall justice—to there beautiful Song "Da Partida" rendered by Ludion Clean College pieces. Miss Gladys B.ook's Mr. E. G. Anderson. As a tenor voice was heard to advantage we do not think Mr. Anderson in "A Brithday Song" has any local rival and Neighbour, I; Mr. J. Hyde, 2. while Mr. Allen rendered the La Partida" was sung by him The nown for the colo "Simple Aveu" on his 'oello last night with great dramatic with great distinction.

The Naval Orchestra were under a perfect Spanish pronunication. Buildings (opposite the Star the bean of Mr. A. Finch, while In response to an encore he cange Ferry Pier). Mr. Longyear was the accompanist.

Next Week's Fide Programme.

BOXING.

Training for the boxing tournsment which is to be held under the auspices of the Police Reserve at the City Hall on the 14 h inst. to the mother of the late Sergt. Linfield, recently murdered) is new in full swing, and booking opens at Montrie's on Friday. A number of men of the Manchester Regiment are taking part in the events, besides naval competitore, and the programme is probably the largest ever held in the Colony. Basides the main event of twenty rounds for the Bantam-Weight Obsmpionship and a fifteen round contest for the Middleweight Championship, there will be four six-round events between good

In the main event-the Bantam Weight Ohampionship, which has not been fought for years in Hongkong and has now lap-ed-the opponents will be S. P. O. Amey, R.N., and Stoker Neighbours, R.N. The record of the former is as follows:-Beat Sicker Taylor in two rounds: beat Serman "Shorty" Watts in the remi-final of the Chatham Shield (having to retire from the final owing to an injured hand and thus being unable to meet the winner. Seaman Grey, the well-known Army and Navy Feather-Weight); best Macdonald, the fisherman's Bantam-Weight Champion of Aberdeen in two rounds; holder of the Narfo'k and Saffolk Bantam-Weight Championship, 1911-13; best Ernie Wilnock, 4 the Feather Weight Champion of Norfolk in concert, which was given by the four rounds; finalist in the Feather-Weight Championship for the Chatham Shield, 1912 14; semi finalist in the Navy Championship at Portsmouth, 1913 14; parrowly besten on points by Sesman Battershill, the Feather-Weight Champion of the Navy (in this fight he had to give away Governor's A.D.C, Mejor Morgan, thirteen pounds); best Stoker. rounds: drew with Seaman Owing to the indisposition of Marsden in six rounds at the

opponent, is very modest as to may be mentioned that he won the Governor General's Cap at Capetown this year and has been runner up in the Navy and Marines Feather-Weight at Home. He also has several other mins to second part Mr. Breck sarg his credit.

Since some doubt appears to exist with regard to the title to the Middle-Weight Champion-Miss Resebrd Young (violin) ship of the Colonoy, we give the following facts:-

Young (Paddy) Ahearn fought had to oblige a second time. Stoker Arkinson, R.N., at the Comic songs are the life blood last Police Reserve boxing of any concert and in Mr. Canavan tournament for the Middlethe organisers of the Naval Weight Championship of the Concert found an ideal supporter | Colony and won. Abearn has In "Just as the Sun Goes Down" now left the Colony, presumably he brought the house down; his for good, therefore his title to the make up as a woman was splendid Championship lapses and it may and he was vooisercusty encored. be fought for by all-comers.

MINIATURE GOLF.

St. Andrew's Fair Results.

The result of the ties in the compelitions over the Andrew's Course at the "Heather Day" Fair are as follows: Ladies" Championship (Medal hearty ovation. She showed Play) .- Miss Wilkinson, 1; Mrs. technique with due expression Maitland, 2

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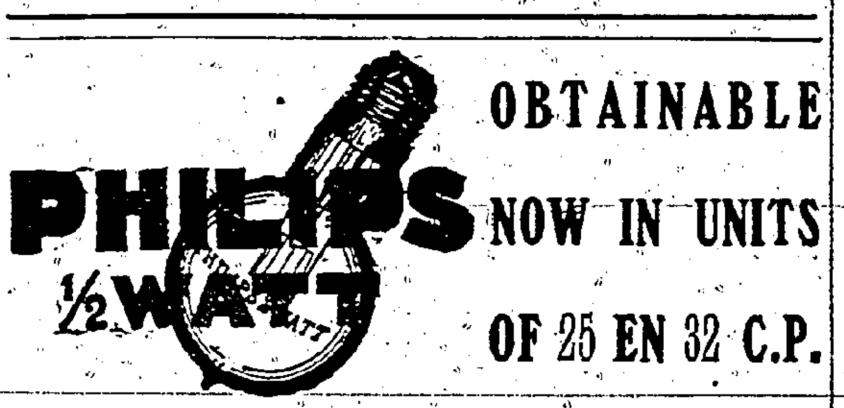
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National Combines.

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The Suez Route.

The N. Y. K. has given telegraphic orders to its branches and agen's in England, France, Italy, etc., to send in reports re the existing risks in the Mediterranean, with a view to reopening the European line via Suez, cancelling the route via the Cape of Good Hope. The Company's liners on the European service number 14 of approximately 100,000 tors all of which will be transferred to the Sucz

Vessels Overdue.

The Dairen Maru, 3,974 tons, chartered by the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, which sailed from Seattle on October 4, was due to arrive in Kobe on October 27, but nothing has been heard of her says "Shipping and Engineering" of November 22: The Eboshi Maru. 3938 tons, also chartered by the N.Y.K., which left Seattle for Kobe on Cctober 5, is also overdue. As there are often heavy storms in the Pacific at this time of the year, some anxiety is entertained regarding the fate of the two steamers.

Faster Mail Service.

The All-Red route question. writes a correspondent, to the "Journal of Commerce" "has been referred to a special committee appointed by the Imperial Conference, and the different aspects of the case are now being considered. Quite apart, however. from what action may be taken in the matter, I hear that efforts will shortly be made by the Ocean Steamship Co. to accelerate the passare between Sydney, N.S.W., and San Francisco by the provision of faster steamers, which would have been sunning by now but for the war. so as to reduce the journey to London to at least 26 days, linking. up with the speedy Atlant'c boats at New York. Another interestin departure is the agreement between the Cunard Line and the Toyo Kisen Kaisla, whereby the former takes over part of the latter's Pacific passenger agency. All the steamers employed are of the most palatial type, and the arrangement suggests an interesting itinerary to or from the Far East, of which, no doubt, the utmost advantage will be taken. As an alternative route to Suez. what could, "for example, le more attractive than Liverpool. New York - San Francisco-Honolulu-Japan China, or one which suggests greater pos-

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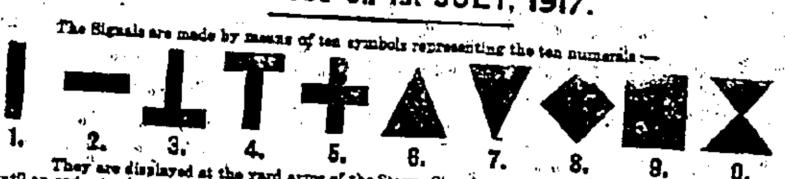
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Typhon and Continuated (a) Position of centre; by 4 symbols at one yard arm.

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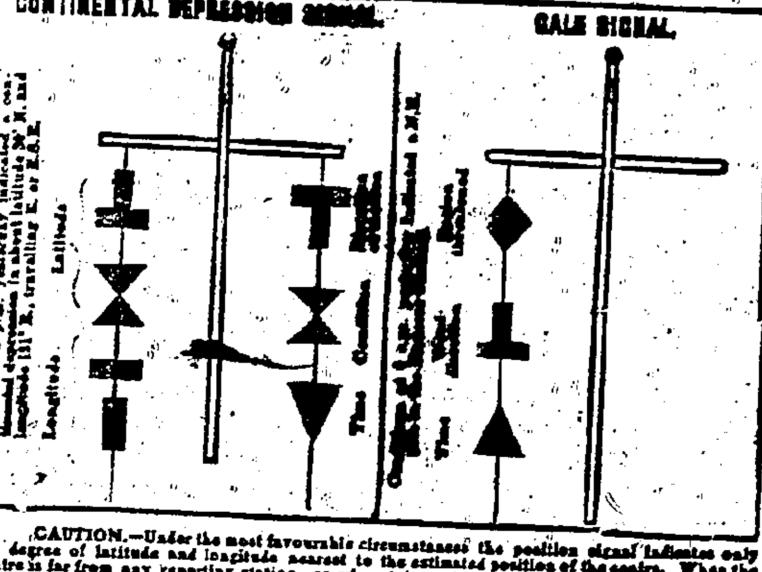
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(c) The region threatened, the direction from which the gale is expected, and the time; by 3 symbols at one yard arm (Tables 3 and 4).

EXPLANATION OF THE SIGNALS. The two upper signals of group (a) indicate the latitude, and the two lower symbols the longitude of the centre of the Typheen or Depression in degrees, as nearly as can be ascertained from the information available. Only the tens and units of the longitude are given; thus, 05 indicates longitude 105 E. travelling. (Table 1.) The middle symbol of group (b) indicates the velocity at which the centre of the Typhoon is travelling. Alternatively it may indicate certain conditions, or a Continental Depression. In such cases "The lewest symbol of group (a) indicates the time at which the centre was in the position stgnalled.

The upper symbol of group (c) indicates the region threatened; the middle symbol the direction indicated, and the lewest symbol the time at which gale conditions were first

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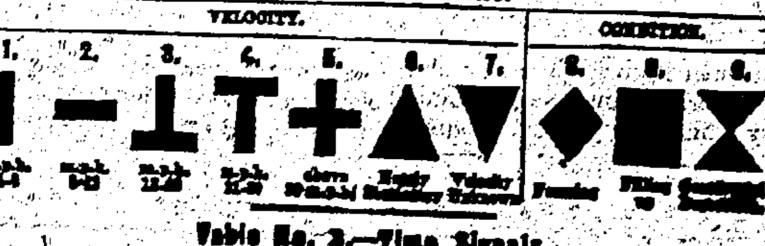


the degree of intitude and inagitude nearest to the estimated position eight indicates only cantre is far from any reporting station, or when telegraphic reports are inching the position eightied may be as much as I in error, both in intitude and longitude, and the position direction of motion will then he is error by corresponding amounts.

It should be particularly noted that the valority signalled in the moon for the position.

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Superintendent Rongkong, November 28, 1912

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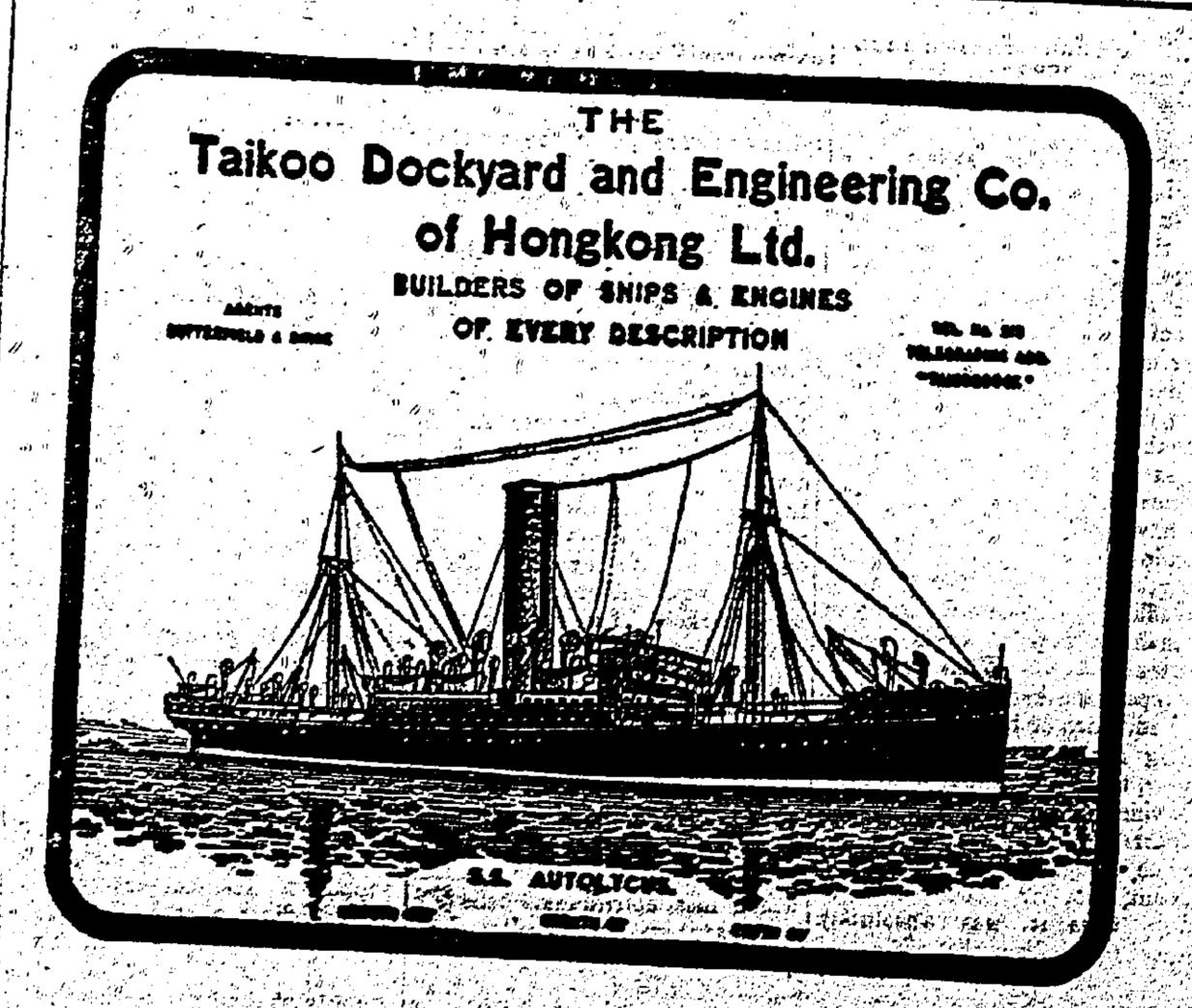
MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS.

The C.P.O.S. Chartered Steamer KEY WEST left Vancouver on the 9th instant and is due at mongkong about the December.

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NOTICES.



DRESSMAKERS & OUTFITTERS (2ND FLOOR)

PSYCHOLOGICAL RESEARCH.

Lecture by Mr. A. H. Crock, M. A.

There was a good attendance at the Helens May Institute. last evening, when Mr. A. H. Crook. M. A., delivered an interesting lecture on Psychological Research. Amongst those present were His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Mr. Claud Severn, C. M. G., and the Hon. Mr. J.H.Kemp, K.U. O.B.E.

His Excellency, introducing the speaker, said Mr. Crook had kindly consented to deliver a short lecture on the subject of Psychological Research. That might be described as the science of psychical manifestations between the living and the departed, including clairvoyance and telepathy and such seances. conducted by mediume, as are described in some recent books which have attracted considerable stientica. He did not suppose that there were many smonget the audience who had given much study to the subject but it certainly had, in recent years, attracted the attention of distinguished men like Sir Oliver Lodge and Sir A. Consn Doyle. Therefore he did not think it should be treated lightly, although few people can really acquire the whabit of believing in such thing However, they must hear what Mr. Crook had to tell them, who, at the close of the address, would be glad to snewer any questions the audience might put to bim.

Mr. Crook said his first recollection of having anything to do with seances or spooks was as a small boy, watching the famous American Medicm, W. J. Bishop. running blindfold through the streete of a lamous American City. His lass experience was an atita ance at "The Barton Mystery (leughter). Between these two, in the time that had slapeed, they would all agree with him that a greatchangehad come over the attitude of the public mind towards things psychical and matters. dealing with spirits. The old acientiate of 60 years ago would not listen to the subject and simply said bankum, and that attitude did, in a certain cente, a. great deal of harm since its effect over to quacks and charlatans round the audience and asked ining and suck to that which was this lustrous observer clad in a day which even yet seems distant, more fit to adorn a museum then to found a new science. In |8. modern times the fact that persons who are recognised authorities in their branches of learning turned themselves to the subject of he rememered doing something pyshios and examined the subject carefully resulted in the formation in 1882 of a Society to to investigate the whole subject and the present resident of the series of questions. "Certain Psychical Research Society is a questions were put if the article leading ecceptist. Now what attitude were they to take towarde on, and he found the experiment all the marvels and mysteries given to them day by day? The only attitude, to his mind, was one of scepticism. The question of how to weigh evidence, and what evidence was trustworthy, was a very difficult one. To illustrate this the speaker proceeded to read an extract from an account of a give instances of tests in water seance in which a man was said to have been passed through a window which was only partially open, the space being quite insufficient to enable the body of a man to pess through in the ordinary way. What evidence, the speaker seked would convince , the audience or himself of such a thing happening? As far as he convince him of the truth of the single case did the diviner give the knew, his own eyesight would not occurrence. All the evidence by which tests might be made was were cases where some difficulty absent, and in the absence of came in, the reason for which immoral to believe that story, and in—that it was due to poliergeists the person who was capable of or troublesome spirits. The

other things, that the question of explain the mysterious dieleast elastic of the sanaes, of alpine" flora as due person gete into a state of mind something else is

the gridence was not as good as being the rest author these displays at the City Hall cases, be taken for truto. people to produce articles, and good.

lady on the platform, who was supposed to be hypnotized, told him what the hearty vote of thanks. articles were. The speaker said similar when he was a boy. He wrote down a list of articles that people would be likely to have on their person. He then made up was metal of non-metal, and so succeeded fairly well. In the instance referred to at the City Hell, he took with him a fossilised aponge and when he asked to be told what it was the performer became very angry and would not or could not give an answer. The speaker then proceeded to divining and related how Sir Bay Lencaster invited a water diviner to go over his estate and point out where water existed. This was done and the spots indicated were marked. The diviner was then blindfolded and turned round three or four times so that be would lose his orientation and was then asked to again point out where water existed. In no same indication of the spots, There

believing it only showed that he speaker illustrated the consistency of Alfred Russel was ready to swallow any story Wallace in this

which most spiritualists believed

mithout proper evidence. The believed that the ringing of bella rengon why he said these things was due to policrysists, but on ought to be tested was, amongst the other hand was unable to cracight were very doubtful, tribution of alpine flors. If he Certain erientista would tell (the speaker) were to write a them that vision was the book explaining the distribution The speaker then proceeded to polterosists. Alfred Wallsee explain how the sudden transfer would ridicule him, yet that the eight from one moving should be the most simple object to another might so affect explanation. There was a great the retine as to make it possible danger resulting from comparing for an error of vision to occur, things scientific with things In dreams, he said, some people. psychic and they found a great according to the ordinary law of many people first beginning in vision, see only slight colour, in this direction by a comparison others see bright colours, as in of telepathy and wireless teletheir waking censes, so that graphy. The speaker next revision was so untrustworthy a ferred to cross correspondence. sense it was better not to lay too Something is said or written great emphasis upon it. So, if a down though a medium and and psychiats ask him to believe or written down through another that something is going to medium and the two were suplived facing the western sees and spirits on the other side was said ority, but here it is star of their Maker for the great conthey believed that when the sun to exist. One explanation why morning which is promised along stellations riding in the went down, it went down into the the spirit always seemed to find sea and they actually believed it difficult to speak was that they heard it sizzling as it went communication could only be into the ses, just as when a hot made when the spirits were, so to poker is plunged into water. They say, in dreams and that was tell that the darkness is passing star, lone and unattended in its heard that simply because they one of the channels by which away and day is at hand. The setting of sombre velvet, glowing believed that the sun moves down, communication we carried on in King of Rightsoneness is not in the dark, chill, early hour as a hot bedy, into the sea. the spirit world. When there were simply the chastiser of dis- when there is none to see but And so they found that sell no dreams there was a break in obedient nations. Beyond that some solitary mariner on the deep, other senses might be deceived in the chain of communication. in the same way. The attitude That was perhaps the result of a that most mediams asked people labster supper in the spirit world also on His forehead, the Morn- penighted in his tracks. "To him to take was one that was perfectly |- (laughte.). Mr. Crock then immoral. They said that every- recounted the case of Dionysiue's body in a room must believe that | Ear in which Mr. "Garald a chair was going to rise from Balfour took a prominent part the floor and that if all did not a lady medium was said to have believe it, then the chair would had set her a classical puzzle, a not rise. He had been turned portion of which was comout from a sanne because he was municated by one spirit and the appropriations person in other portion by a second spirit. the room and was onot The communications were of a suitable. Dealing with cases most obscure character and of no where persone at a distance had apparent meaning but Mr. Gerald ecsived in imstion of a death, Ballour was said to have success the lecturer said there were a fully solved the problem. The great number of these cases, but lecture quoted from the pamphiet un invistigator who had collected entitled "The Ear of Dionysius" evidence from person's who had which gives the full account of received intimation of death at a the occurrence. Concluding, the distance said that the number of speaker illustrated how it wis in Eden, and the ancients knew men and women who in their day cases which were comoborated possible to ruflames the mind. by a written statement at the by amusing ansones as to the pro- less star of evening, become in her star, who ruled and led and carried time was very small, so small that o bittry of Mr. Gustelone season the postives harbluger inflaence because there burned in be would have liked it to be". Blowning's poems, and Bucon the bearer, opener of the gates hope, and who left behind them Turning to the question of samor of Saskespeare's plays, through which betimes would illuminated tracks for us I lepithy," Mr. Crook said he giving striking eramples of coin- issue the radiant chariot of the follow. These were proneers remembered attending one of cidence which might in some was that psychology was given some ten years ago. A man went advised his audience to test every-

the lecturer who was accorded a

A Zeebrugge Relic.

Another interesting Zeebrugge relic has been added to the Naval Exhibition in London. It consiste of the pennant of Iphigenia, one of the craisers which were successfully sunk at the entrance to the Caral.

V. C. goes A-Begging.

There is, if reports are true, 8 believed to be a trooper of the story of eye witnesses, four regiment near Mehaticourt were... led they drawe in their spars and west for it abreast, "hell for As they charged one fell, then snother, then a third, until one only was left, and he went on, rode into the post. and embred right and left. He disposed of the whole crew and then came back, walking his happened. The incident was told by an officer of the Canadian Forces who witnessed and reported it, but it seems that the identity of the hero has not been discovered.

FROM THE PULPIT.

The Citt of the Morning Star.

Morning Ster."-Rev. 2/28.

potter are broken in pieces." with the roling rod, and thus to vault and speaking their messthe thought of chastisment is age in their own way. Yet one added the idea of hope, for the may be doubly thankful in its ministry of the morning star is to season for a gift of the morning lies a redemptive purpose: He some elempless watcher from the who wields" the eseptre bears sickroom, some lost wayfarer ing Star.

in Thystica, which had failed to in which faith is not a matter of in spite of all its "leve, sad faith which can do without notoriety and patience" bad become more and success, which has put of an simiable gent ment in the worldliness under its. feet and world than real light or power. seeks not the praise of man, for And it is this redemptive purpose, which it is sufficient to do what which is the highest glory of the good it can where it is, the more gospel, just as the shining herald the darker. of the dawn surpasses in splend-

vapours are dispelled; creatures from that love the light bestir hand themselves fears and uncertainties roll back their gloomy curtainings from soxious minds; nops | but men who believe in the future springs again as from her couch | bacause they believe in Gol, and of rest, and man goes forth cheerful to his labour through the anarchy and rebellion God loves, shining hours. "I will give him and will yet work His will. the morning star:" What Church might not greatly covet to be dowered with this forward-Victoria Cross going a begging ness of radiant hope, burning many-who have put heart and from insbility to find the earner, before the dawn, testifying of it action into their fellows during 8th Hussers. According to the to expect it, and believe in it? | endurance. At the head of the "Ye are the light of the world," United States there stands such troopers of a British cavalry says our Lord, and surely this is a man to-day, one who has set fired on by a machine gan post; Church ought to be, heraldic, consistently keeping before him anticipatory, glowing sura" and lings which dot the shattered hours of darkness and fear, giving believing that the large ameliorsstrong essurance that the daystar | tions of our naman life which all

pre-segurance of day's coming.

will yet sries in our mearts. place," writed the Apostle, and with a good will, and determined their antroundings are so black own country has shown himself to that their light is quite out. be. He has incurred many criti-In a more favourable situation ciams and roused much opposition they think they would shine, of course, but even his opponents

Ther expect to shine in heaven, admit that he points a way and WILL SCIENCE END WAR? and we trust they may, but why that he and thinks done. He was wait till one is taken out of this the first man of prominence. I world where the background is so think, to warm his countrymen murky that even a small glimmer that they might possibly loss the The Result of Modern Devices. can be seen, and serves much war, but in the darkest days his Notes of a sermon by the Bev. purpose? The darkest hour, they hope never failed, and he has J. Kirk Maconachie at Union say, is just before the dawn, and been swift and forward to look gas, and liquid fire are among the Obarch on Sanday morning:- that is the very watch allotted to towards the urgent copportunitier i movetions which invested the "And I will give him the the morning star, and if you or I and necessities of reconstruction. Greet War with prouling interest. possess the gift we shall covet the Such men as there have their There is no uncertainty as to place where we can be of limitations, being numan. But methods has been declared outthe significance of this gift here greatest service. Some have a they are followed and they side the pale of recognised warpromised "to him that over- great deal to say about the flourish- best authority because in is a, but they are neverthelescometh." It is that of heralding ing organisations they belong to, their place and sphere they the result of acientific enterprise. the Sun of Righteousness, and the thriving Church, the popular possess this gift of the morning and it may be assumed rafely guiding the nations on their way, ministry, the noted association star. They are followed not that in course of time the fightas is seen in its following close with its hundred branches. An bacagae they are exceptions ing forces will be equipped with upon another promise acapted other will rather say, as did one proving a rule but because they still more to tible means of from the Messianic expressions lately to me, "I want to find a ambody with clearness and destinction. of the 2nd Pealm :- "I will give village up the country where courage the deathless hope which War has an entirely new him authority over the nations, nobody has taken the gospel us burns in the common heart, significance, not only to the troops and he shall rule them with a yet, and where I might just live deprived of which life would be in the fields, but for civilians rod of iron, as the vessels of the among the poor people and try to poor indeed. teach them a little." Well, in In Scripture star, and sceptre praising one good work there is had brooding over it the sable sailors took the risk and glory, them false. For example, there was form a complete story, and in that are frequently associated as no need to decry another. One wings of night, and still it is while the taxpayer grumbled and a certain savage tribe who way proof of communication of symbolising royalty and suth may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow found the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow found the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow found the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow found the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow found the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow found the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow found the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow found the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow for the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow for the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow for the money had not a such may scan the heavens and glorify overful by many a deen shadow for the money had not a such may see that the same and glorify overful by the same and glorify overf Charch and Ohristian heart

that overcomth" this gift especi-So it is real gospel which con- ally balongs; the soul that has cluded this message to the church | zathered strength to stand sione, exercise discipline, and therefore numbers or contagion; the Church

Now if one were asked illustour all the other living empoires rations from actual life it would of the sky." "Hesperus rout led he easy to do it, and that in, the shining host, rode brightest," numbers. One might turn to the writes Milton in his incomparable Bible and go over its entire roll description of oncoming hight of heroes and heroines of faith, se we'do that Heaptros, the metch- | possessed the gift of the morning of of morn-Phosphor the light their hearts au unquenchable sen. As if God would prepare Lowards lands of promise, cap His world for the uprising of the tains of the Lord's host against ann in majesty. He sends forth the mighty, prophets of a splendid His Excellency then thanked of day, or lest the night seem hearten our pilgrimage. Or, to overlong, and weary hearts crave | take personal testimony, which of us has not konwn some who have Morning draws weer, and been dowered with this radiant harmful creatures harry to their gift? We gather most of lairs; mists roll off, noxious our inspiration for well-doing men in whose right burns to greet it; that cannot be put out-uptimists, not in the cheap and tripping

> Or we might pass to the sphere of contemporary public life and speak of some-there have been ere it can be eeen, calling on men | these past four years of trial and the manner of the light His his hope high and forward, pure and lefty objects beyond all sudiant above the atful twink- the confusion and darkness of the time-an idealist, true, but firmsment of this world in its practical as many an idealist is, profess to desire are really "A light shining in a dark capable of attainment if sought to shine? Not seldom you may shall really be secured. Another hear Oncietiens complain that | such the Prime Minister of our

Banes of that much misused term.

know that in spite of all seeming

from prompt to great the signs of dawn which faith can see unfailing in its firmament. Many many a suree in the methods of war. soul is sore bowed down as under submarine is merely a tornedo a load that can never lift. There vessel, with the auvantage of is an eigent ministry for healing invisibility, and no more, since hope to day, to individual hearts, she is still restricted to the water the broken and bleeding in her operations. On the other nations, to every phase and por. hand, the fling med line can go tion of the social organism the almost anywhere, drop explosives: world around. Seek therefore to gas shelle, or inflammatory mahave the gift of the morning star, terial, which my destroy cities consoling with lambent ray the and public works, and, under chill hour before the night has sertain conditions, lay whole

Fair as hope amid our sorrow, Lighting up each clouded | limited range of action and carry-

Cariet's cross, around which recently being mainly dependgathers the light of sacred story. a light rekindled in the eight of Every, month records develorall this day in the sacrificat. ments in their construction. From willingly offered, which "are the mere observation pletforms they foundation of all our expectations have become fighting machines. of a nobler, purer inter- for our heavily sermed operating in striving and suffering humanity.

Now, in closing, if we would have this gift and hold it, there must by all means fulfil, and poisonous master into our reserdare "never negioci. Inere veire? Disease germs may be are two comittons which cause conveyed by the flying men and ahine so steadily and so oright. apidemics would be likely to. She is not, scientifically speaking, spread among man and beast. the glowing orb of day. In the far larger and more imposing in lions between nations. themselves than she, but also outshines them because and keeps tinue to be invoked to amplify? nearer to the sun and possesses a the latest means of slaughter and surface of nigher reflecting bring under control forces known ourselves, which is very easily far, has been utilized only on the exhausted. The critical thing is misty exhalstions from our sinful natures to dim the surface which anonid reflect His glory. Live ciose to His light and reflict it, WILL good thee toward the dawn and your hear, awake to the escenal morning which lies beyond all earthly enadows in the land that is taiger than day.

China and Economic Conference.

The Peking Government in preparing to send delegates to the Economio Conference to be held in Paris. The Department of Agriculture in the Northern Uspital has communicated with horse as quietly as if nothing had where clae can there be any need that so far as in him lies they the local industrial bureau orderto give so a rate infrmation att the Confere c.

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The employment of these

residing far from the scene of Now this our world has long conflict. Formerly the soldiers or timely most harmless person may fall a Ohrist's victim to the indisc-imirate havoc every which Germans have so aptly that we be dubbed "frightfulness."

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These machines had a very ing espainty to begin with: That fair hope radiates from their employment until quite. ent on "westher conditions. equadrone.

derms from the Air, What is to prevent a fleet of is one grand condition which we sirplanes " steatthily dropping etar of mining to distributed over areas where a star at all, but a planer belong. The potential power of sircraft ing to our solar system, therefore seems boundless, and, however giving no light of nerself but only naworthy of civilisation, is reflacting what she receives from force to be reckoned with. It is extremely doubtful if this munace. planetery system there are bodies | can be restricted yet by negotia-

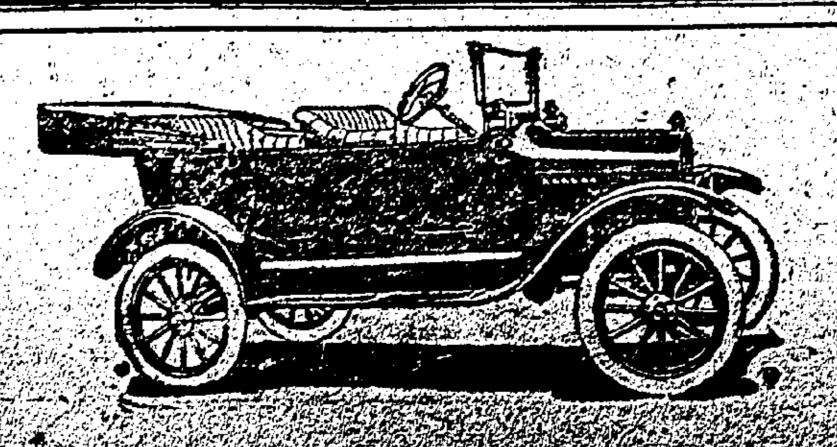
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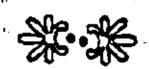
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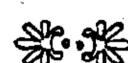


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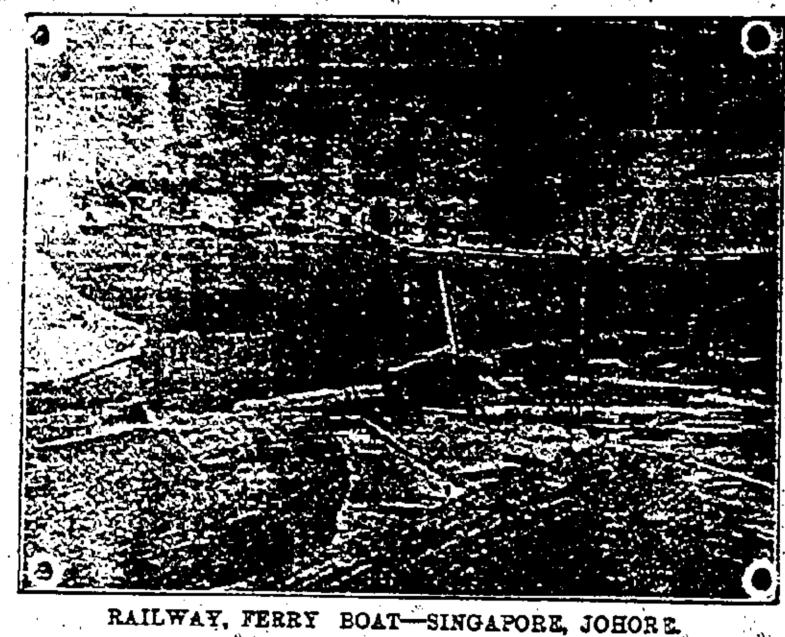
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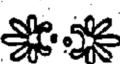
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A By-Product of the War.

There is a lot of hidden history made in the war, and Albania "Be might be expected, is the scene of some of it. The Republic of Koritss, or Korce, to use the official Albanian spelling, may, be described as ed in the late autumn of 1915, in course of the journey to Berne. but the texture was hard and band the country back to the beld at Shanghai recently, Daythe brilliant brain of a French which was reached at 4 s.m., I repulsive and the patterns of Huns?" I boldly state that if break Dablia fetched Tlr. 280. cavelry colered. The bulk of quickly discovered that this unimaginable squalor. Others we dare do this, the native races Besconlight Tls. 250, Daris and Albania was at that time occupied contingent, which is to be wore boots with paper uppers will at the hands of the Huns The F-ked Bird Tls. 200 each, by the Austrians. In the south the Allied Salonica forces was a solid wedge of Austrians and King Constantine's unfriendly had no use owing either to their in work. Greeks.

and the region near Lake Malik This was the first time that French faced with the problem of setting! up a civil administration. North the men some of my conclusions were received with the customery tribes in German South Wes'

with a fait accompli, accepted the in mines, who owing to undermained a republic. A Council of unable to fill the allotted number 12 Elders, mixed Mussulman and of wagons daily. Christian, was set up as the governing body, Essad Pashs at tered a blessing in Albanian, a flag was magnificent. They seemed was devised, a post office system to have generally gained a cominstituted, and stamps issued plots moral supremacy over their hitch. The two headed eagle, for the first time from prisoners flag and the first stamp issue, conviction of ultimate defeat rensed antagonism, and was east lamong both military and civilians to be not the genuine Albanian in Germany. The air raids, as There is in the minds of the now that that flag has come, do Died beloved of Skanderbeg and all who knew the German charac. Germans of the protectorate, as you think we should assist De all good Shkipetari, but a mon ter enticipated are having an well as of certain persone in to have it down? No, no. O trops Austrian Imperial orea enormous effect on the population, the Union, a certain amount Go and tell your Governor that if O ture. Yet on the whole, Koritzs who talk of little else. merged in some larger whole, ful soul, who proudly wore a sain flist over this territory, and why she so loved our flig, and Mentine, owing to various happy purple brocade cost made of foremost amongst these is the Jun answered. The flig with the advances of the Allies, it has paper, which gave an idea of what ker class; but among set men who crosses on means to us blacks H kong 50, cts sub.

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PAPER CLAD PRISONERS.

Experience of New Arrivals in Switzerland.

bringing about 500 British non- single German would stand up to engaged in this protectorate since from Germany for internment in on you at once."

autonomous Albanian republic naturally no food parcels; and Chateau d'Oeux.

General Sarrail, confronted the guards to the men employed ! Magaificent Moral. The moral of the whole party All has not gone without & guards. It is interesting to hear

soon as possible. Through the courteey of the sh meet thee theer, last, it'll be coufficing interests arising on Swiss military authorities says a thee and me for it." This man of the war this protectorate Times correspondent. I last night | had been much mail treated, but might yet revert to Germany. A

Fork. Hence the train con- territorial, a tailor in private life, swideres collected by Major In the sutumn General Sirrai tained men with periods of was remarkable. He went to O'Reilley, and let him look at the pushed forward in a north wester captivity ranging from four years India in November, 1914, pro- record of murders of natives by o 16 days. Many of them were cheded to Egypt, and was within Germans since the occupation. I taken on Merch last. There was six miles of Jerusalem in April, say without fear of contradiction, an unusually large proportion of 1917, reached France early this because I have absolute evidence troops from Salonica had found non-commissioned officers, who, year, was wounded July 28 to back up the statement, that T/T

east lay Greece, but Koritea was may be summed up as follows: rejoicings by a large number of Africe man, woman, and child, neither. According to the Treaty -Apart from their wounds the British and Swiss officials and will be wiped off just as were the of Bukarest, the only legal state of the men was not marked other sympathisers of both sexes, Armeniane; while the unfortunate 1 instrument recognised by the ly worse then the average of con- undeterred as usual by the neces. Bushmen will be hunted down I Allies, it was part of Albania, tingents. Their two great grounds sity of rising at three o'clock in like buck. The colonel solved the difficulty of complaint were, first, ill treat- the morning. After a hearty Shortly after the compation the

With regard to Dr. Solf's references to German colonial methods. have received the following

Africa I can youch :--of doubt existing as to the future the day were to come I as a O was, pleased me by relating that such as farmers, properly owners brutality, and hardware.

a German who had resided in and merchants, who openly state Kensington announced his that from a commercial stand point intention of returning thither a this country should be joined to The British he Union, there exists soldier promptly replied :- "I opinion that in the whirlpool of accompanied a Red Cross train only seriously complained that no one who, having been actively for a judicial investigation, at bringing about 500 British non- single German would stand up to engaged in this protectorate since tempted to escape and were shot commissioned chines and men him three or four siways, sets its occupation, has been able dead by their escort on Novemfrom Germany for internment in on you at once."

Switzerland, joining the train at Other men were civilian saits conditions here over a period of ber 17th. Exvilen, not far from the of papercloth, which, being lined three years; I sek the question. word to use. This State originat frontier, at 11.15 pm. In the were warmer than the brocade, not "Will we," but "Dare we

followed by a similiar trainload to and wooden soles with or with pffer the fate of the Armenians. Nanking Ohief Tle. 180, Glassthe Italians held Avlone, on the high consisted not of men who out a hinge under the such of the If any one doubts this assert. anght Tls. 160, Hornpipe Tls. Adriatic, but between them and had le months or any other foot. These, they said, wore out ion, let him first of all examine 155, Seven Nick Tie. 140, Bythe specified period of captivity, but very quickly but the Germans the horrible treatment meted cut Tis. 125. Goldensand Tis. 110. of men for whom the Germans issued fresh once to men engaged by them to the Hereros and Fresco Tle. 105, The Dean 100, Hottentots in their wars with Urgs Tls. 85 and Ironeide Tls. inability or their refusal to The record of one Davon these people; let him read the 85. and left Germany August 30. back the Bondenizwarts and the After conversing with many of On arrival in Berne the party Renoboth bastards. [Hottentot

by proclaiming Korites, and the ment while employed at work be meal, and enjoyment of the King Huns there tried to raise trouble T/ and Queen's message of good by bringing in reports that the T which it is the capital, to be an was deplorable, and there were cheer, the whole party left for Hereros intended to rise on a T certain day. I then went and interviewed the sister of the paramount chief. Samuel Mahero. situation, and Koritss has re feeding were so weak as to be NATIVES IN SOUTH-WEST was still a refugee in the 3 Transvasi, . I saked her what was at the bottom of the 3 rumour. The old woman answer-Their Fate Under German Rule. ed me, with tears in her eyes, Are the English going to listen to the lies of the Germans?" 'Look," she continued, "for I years we leaders of our people I which flaun ed so bravely on the of widespread dissension and a from a correspondent for whose have longed, hoped, and dreamed i knowledge of German South West for the day when the flig with m crosses on would fly over us, and r

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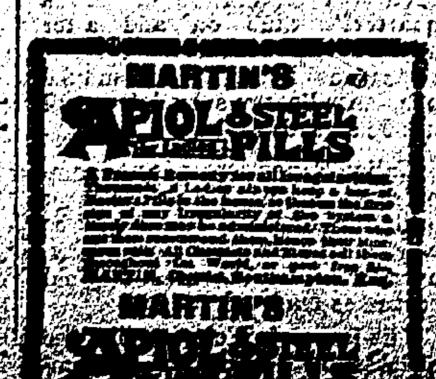
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metric tone, value P80,000; cias are payable on imports and products, value P900 000; lime exports and for alteration of the 14,000 metric tone, value P270, taxes without legislation. 000; sand and gravel, 735,000 metric tona, value F700,000; metric ton-. walus P250,000; salt, 26,000. metric tone, value P780.060: mineral waters, 3,500,000 liters valuei P85,000; total value, P3,165,009.

The above data shows, says the Department of Agriculture and CITY HALL, FRIDAY, December Natural Resources, that the Philippine Islande are not even producing a thousandth part o their mineral resources. Their resources are such, it is stated. that they might be able to produce about many millions worth of

minerals every year. in Washington has lately beer invitation Committee at Headinterested in the mineral wealth quarters. Club on and after of the islands and it is at its TUESDAY. December 3rd, beinstance that the above data was tween the hours of 5.0 and 6.0 gathered and cabled to Americ pm. Applications by letter will by Governor General Harrison | not be attended to. What use will the Buresu of Calico Fancy Dress is not com-Insular Affairs make of them it is pulsory. Other Fancy Dress or not known, but is is understood ordinary Evening Dress may be that the local Government wil worn. Prizes will be given, how. | MASSAGE HALL inaugurate a programme during ever, only for the most original the coming year for the proper costumes made of Calico. exploitation of the most import The issue of Tickets will close ant minerals. Several legie at latest on TUESDAY, Decemletive projects have already bery ber 10th, but at an earlier date if en builted in the Legislature de necessary.

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F.M.S. and War Taxes.

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> EONGKONG POLICE RESERVE.

FANCY DRESS (CALICO) BALL.

13th, 1918, 9 p.m.

Tickets:-Member of Police Reserve ... \$ 3. Non-Members - \$ 5. Free. Ladies

Tickets may be obtained by or through members of the Police Reserve only. Applications must The Bureau of Insular Affair be, made in person to the

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POST OFFICE.

It is not fied that all re t letions as to he use of wireless tel graphy by Merchant Ves als on the China Station have een abolished.

The Services to Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and the Ottoman' Empire are

On and after May 1st 1918, Imperial Postal Orders will be cashed in India at the rate of 1/6 to the rupes.

suspended.

unofficial letter addressed to Abadan, Ahwas or Mohammorah in the Persian Gulf may exceed eight ounces in weight

The insured letter and insured parcel services between Egypt (or in transit through Egept) and Cyprus are temporarily suspended.

Correspondence addressed to anemy subjects in China, Siam, Siberia and Portuguese East Africa, Persia and Morocco cannot be transmitted.

the United Uninsured parcels for Kingdom will in future be forwarded from Hongkong in bags and the Public are therefore advised to pack such parcels very carefully,

Until further notice parcels for civil addresses in the provinces of Udine, Vicenza, Trevise, Padua, Venice and Belluno in Italy will not be accepted for transmission unless posted under the British War Office Permit.

The Parcel Post Services to British East Africa and Egypt (except for members of the Expeditionary Forces), and "to Abyminia, Bagdad, Erithrea, French Scmali Coast, Italian Somaliland, Portuguese East Africa, Zanzibar and Russis have been suspended.

On 1st September, 1918, the rates of postage chargeable in India on letters for all places abroad to which the rate of arns per nunce was previously applicable was raised to 134 annas for the first cunci and I amms for each additional outca. The postage on letters to Naval and Military addresses was not raised.

From the 1st May 1918 there will be three General deliveries daily from the District Post Offices except on Sunday and Holidays when there will be one delivery only. The hours of delivery will be a

follows:--Week days 9 a.m. 1 p.m. 2nd Surdays and Holidays noon.

Information has been received from the Director General of Posts an Te egraphs Tokio, that on and after les April 1918, the Post Office of Japan will collect a demurrage charge from the duties or inland taxes are imposed i Japan, not withdrawn from the Pos Office within 29 days from the date of the notice " their arrival to be sent to the addressees.

Information has been received from the Director General of Posts and Tele graph. Tokio, that the undermentioner articles are pr hibited from importation irtə Japan. Quina, quinine chloride and quinin

sulphate, except such as may be imported Labuan with the resmission of the Minister for Home Affairs. This prohibition is not applicable to Taiwan and Karafuto.

The Director General of Posts, and Telegraphs, Irdia, advises that: ".The Parcel Post Bervice to the Indian Civil Postal Agencies at Abul Khasib, Amara, Bagdad, Busra, Busra City, Fao, Kut, Naseriyah, Quiat Saleh, Salk-esh-Sheyukh and Zubair in Mesopotamia is suspended and that piece-goods, haberdashery and similar articles, except those intended for the personal use of the addresses and not for sale, cannot be sent' to those offices or to Abadan, Ahwaz or Mohmmerah by the letter post, and that such

and will be liable to confiscation." Registered and Parcel Mails close 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated.

In the case of Mails cleany before 9 s.m. Regis ration closes at 5 o'c'ock on the previous evening.

OUTWARD MAILS.

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WEATHER REPORT.

December 3d. 11h 40m.—No return om Japan and Vladivostock, Pressure has iroressed slightly at the majority of reporting stations; the anticyclone has increased in intensity, and fresh to strong mensoon will prevail along the China corst, and over the N. China Sea.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 34 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 Total since January 1st 101.46 inches against an average of \$2.03 inches.

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C. W. JEFFRIER,-Chief Assistant.

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December, 2nd, 3rd & 4th 1918. 9.15 P.M. PERFORMANCE.

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W. CHATHAM, Water Latherder. Pablic Works Department.

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